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CIRCUIT COURT HAS MANY TRIAL CASES

PETIT JURY IS CALLED FOR THE FIRST DAY.

MANY SUITS ON NOTES

Criminal Cases are Expected to Take All of First Week—Several Liquor Charges.

Circuit court will reconvene Monday with many important cases, both civil and criminal, scheduled for trial. It is expected that trials in the criminal cases will occupy a week, after which the court will be confronted by many suits on notes and accounts. There are more of these cases than ever before, according to attorneys.

The most important criminal case is that of the state against William Solomon, Charles Whitmore, Claude George, Ernest Jackson and Jesse Anderson on a charge of grand larceny for the alleged stealing of the Hubbell car at Barnard. There are also several liquor cases. The case of the state against Floyd Foreman and William Curl is docketed for Tuesday.

On the parole docket are Orvil Bell, Vern Griffith, James Thompson, Walter Brown, Howard L. Wheeler, Clinton Rhodes, Alvin Williams, Floyd Williams, Carlos Murphy, Gale Boyd, Raymond Peterson, H. O. Lainhart, Dennis J. McGarry and Roscoe Blazier.

The criminal docket for Monday has the following cases:

State vs. Irwin Swearingen, burglary and larceny.

State vs. Lloyd Davis, burglary and larceny.

State vs. Elmer Reynolds, burglary and larceny.

State vs. Victor Wilcox, concealed weapons.

State vs. Morgan Still and Harry Miller, petit larceny.

State vs. Ed Leaverton, assault and battery.

State vs. Neil McKinnon, grand larceny.

State vs. Edward J. Dobbins, disturbing peace.

State vs. Bert Martin, sale of intoxicating liquors.

State vs. Charles Irwin, assault and battery.

State vs. Joseph H. Auffart, false pretense.

State vs. John V. Smith, pulling down fence.

State vs. B. W. Lemon, assault with intent to kill.

State vs. William Traster, Walter Creech, Sials C. Ramsey, dynamiting fish.

State vs. Willis Reese, malicious trespass.

State vs. Fred Carpenter, four counts, possession of still.

State vs. Roy Langley, sale of intoxicating liquor, possession of intoxicating liquor, manufacture of intoxicating liquor, transportation of intoxicating liquor.

State vs. James H. Wilson, sale of intoxicating liquor, possession of intoxicating liquor, manufacture of intoxicating liquor, transportation of intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Ernest Glass, violation motor vehicle law.

State vs. Chester Davis, violation motor vehicle law.

State vs. Ed Hammond, sale of intoxicating liquor.

State vs. William McMichael, possession of intoxicating liquor and possession of a still.

The criminal docket for Tuesday is as follows:

State vs. John Conway, wife abandonment.

State vs. Willis Reese, bogus check.

State vs. Joseph N. Graves, bogus check.

State vs. Oscar Ashbrook, Lester Brittain, Asa Ginter, Lester Reynolds, petit larceny.

State vs. William Solomon, grand larceny.

State vs. Charles Whitmore, Claude George, Ernest Jackson, Jess Anderson, Grand larceny.

State vs. Harry Dempsey, false pretence.

State vs. Floyd Foreman and William Curl, Burglary and larceny.

There are sixteen divorce suits docketed.

The petit jury is summoned for the first day of court, instead of later in the week, as is usually the case. The jurors, with their alternates following, are:

Atchison Township Ira Gillespie, Frank Brand.

Atchison Township O. O. Gregory, Jas. E. Hornbuckle.

Grant Township Charles Jackson, Andy Bare.

Green Township William Taylor, Henry Smith.

Green Township Ben Trapley, Mark Hiles.

Hopkins Township John Morehouse Clyde R. Melvin.

Hopkins Township W. W. Alexander, Vern Jeffers.

Hughes Township R. B. Gex, Jr., Ed Cole.

Hughes Township W. H. Brown, C. M. Warner.

Independence Township Lewis Risser, Joseph Bird.

Independence Township H. M. Wilson, Henry A. Thompson.

Jackson Township, Elias Echterling, Will Thomas.

Jackson Township Newt Alexander, W. A. Henry.

Jefferson Township E. M. Zucklin, James Martindale.

Jefferson Township J. P. Wonderly, Lehman Hansen.

Lincoln Township Ben J. Twaddle, S. M. Davault.

Monroe Township Russ Peters, C. E. Dawson.

Monroe Township Riley Dakean, G. E. Stevenson.

Nodaway Township Geo. Alexander, Ralph Yates.

Polk Township Elihu Busby, E. F. Hamlin.

Polk Township Ernest Bainum, Harry Lyle.

Union Township Harry Lett, Omar Strong.

Washington Township R. T. Allen, R. L. Carter.

White Cloud Township C. T. Frost, W. R. Logan.

SKIDMORE MUST VOTE ON WATER BOND ISSUE AGAIN

First Election Had Only One Dissenting Vote, But New Law Makes Interest Rate Illegal

Although the citizens of Skidmore voted for a bond issue of $21,000 for the purpose of installing a water system, with only one dissenting vote, it seems that it will be necessary to vote again on the proposition, says the Skidmore News.

A ruling was made by the last legislature to the effect that the notice of a bond election must state that the bonds shall not bear more than six per cent interest. This ruling carried an emergency clause which made it effective at once but no one knew anything about it until after the election had been held—except, of course, the legislators themselves.

The matter has been referred to the supreme court, but no decision has been rendered, so another election has been called for next Tuesday, September 27. Voters will, of course, understand that this is election, not for the purpose of voting an additional $24,000, but is being held because the former election was not legal.

Kansas Guest.

Mrs. Joie Thomas of Lawrence, Kan., arrived in Maryville Wednesday to visit at the home of her brother, J. F. Montgomery, and Mrs. Montgomery. She will also visit at the home of her niece, Mrs G. B. Holmes, and Mr. Holmes.

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Charles Cartwright underwent an operation for appendicitis at noon today at St. Francis Hospital. Mr. Cartwright is operator at the Western Union Telegraph Company here.

Electric Theatre

TONIGHT ONLY

BEBE DANIELS (the good little bad girl) in

"ONE WILD WEEK"

Do not miss this picture. also 2-reel comedy. Night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

Saturday, Sept. 24

EUGENE O'BRIEN in

"THE LAST DOOR"

Also two reel western. Two matinees at 2:30 and 4:10—11c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

NOTICE

K. P.

Call Meeting

Friday, Sept. 23.

All members urged to be present.

Guy Henry, C. C.

BARNARD FARMERS PLAN BIG MEETING

WILL HAVE PROGRAM IN AIRDOME THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

GIVEN BY FARM CLUBS

Nine Exchanges Did Million Dollar Business in Nodaway County Last Year

Farmers of Barnard and vicinity will have a big mass meeting at Barnard next Thursday night, September 29, under the auspices of the Farm Clubs of the southern part of the county. A program of home talent numbers has been arranged, and several good speakers from a distance will be secured.

The program will be held in the Airdome. The Barnard Booster Band will play. Other numbers are as follows:

Reading.—Skidmore Club

Stump speech—Joe Holiday, Stotts club.

Reading

Music.—White Hall club.

Reading—Mrs. Marvin Bell, Trego club.

Song with banjo accompaniment, Jim Thompson, Common Sense club.

Address.—Frank Nauman, state field man for the Missouri Farmers' Association.

Address.—E. V. Egler, manager, Producers' Cold Storage Plant, St. Joseph.

R. O. Colvin, secretary of the Nodaway County Farmers' Association, met with about fifty farmers at the Elevator Wednesday night and helped to lay the plans for the mass meeting. Considerable interest was shown in the movement and other mass meetings are being considered at later dates, the purpose of which is to enthuse the farmers in their organization work.

In a talk, Mr. Colvin stated that the annual business of the nine farmers' exchanges in Nodaway County exceeded one million dollars, and he also stated that the Barnard Exchange was one of the strong ones of the county. There are five farm clubs in the immediate territory of Barnard and one about equally divided between Barnard and Guilford. They are Trego, Common Sense, Stotts, White Hall, Fairview, and Skidmore. Committees from these clubs were appointed to arrange for the mass meeting.

R. C. SEAL HEADS S. S. ASSOCIATION

The ninth annual convention of the Nodaway County Sunday School Association which was held in Skidmore Thursday and Friday elected the following officers:

President—R. C. Seal.

Vice-President—Prof. Harry A. Miller.

Secretary—Miss Bertha Anderson.

Treasurer—Miss Dessa Gault.

Superintendent of Children's Division—Mrs. L. E. White.

Young People's Division—G. B. Roseberry, boys; Miss Eva Davis, girls.

Adult and Home—Miles Spargur, Sheridan.

Administration Superintendent—Frank Barrett, Skidmore.

The officers who served last year were:

President, G. B. Roseberry; Vice President, Miles Spargur of Sheridan; Secretary, Miss Eva Davis; Treasurer, Miss Dessa Gault; Superintendent of Children Division, Mrs. L. E. White; Young People's Vivision, Bert Cooper; boys; Miss Bertha Anderson, girls; Adult and Home, John Fields, Bolckow; Administration Superintendent, R. C. Seal.

Every district was represented with between 300 and 400 delegates from thirty-five churches.

Basket Dinner for Pastor

A basket dinner will be served on the Methodist Church lawn in Burlington Junction next Sunday as a welcome to the newly appointed pastor. The Rev. Mr. Edwards, who has been the pastor of the church since last spring, has been reappointed and will remain there for another year.

Miss Gladys Sewell has been engaged as secretary to the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian church, for the six weeks remaining of the county evangelistic campaign.

HUNGARY DEFIES ALLIES LATTER MAY USE FORCE

Italy Favors Immediate Action Unless Hungarian Troops Evacuate Designated Territory.

Paris, Sept. 23.—Hungary has ignored the Allied ultimatum to evacuate West Hungary and is rapidly mobilizing 30,000 troops, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Vienna.

Rome, Sept. 23.—The Italian government favors immediate action against the Hungarian troops unless they evacuate Burgenli and West Hungary within ten days. It is proposed to establish a commercial blockade against Hungary unless she backs down in her defiance to the Allies.

EXPERTS PREDICT CABINET SHAKE-UP

SEVERAL OF HARDING'S AIDS ARE EXPECTED TO BE CHANGED.

MELLON DISHEARTENED

Secretary Weeks Wants Treasury Post —Enemies of Attorney-General are Active.

Washington, Sept. 23—The first six months of the Harding administration having gone by without the occurrence of anything startling. The tea table and cloak room gossips of the National Capital are predicting some radical changes in the make up of official Washington for the next six.

It is the gossip of Washington that before the new administration celebrates its first anniversary, there will be at least two maybe three and possibly more, cabinet changes. The rumors have recently become so circumstantial that they have found their way into some metropolitan papers and have resulted in the expected denials. The reports, however, persist.

The names chiefly concerned in these rumored changes are secretary of the treasury Andrew W. Mellon and Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty.

According to the stories that circulate among the tea tables of Washington, Secretary Mellon has tired of public life after his brief first taste of it, and is desirous of getting back to the placid serenity of directing a score of big corporations and banks with which he is connected.

This is Secretary Mellon's first taste of public life and political contact and it is admitted by his few intimates that he has found it little to his liking. Being naturally of a shy and retiring disposition, the Secretary of the Treasury is said to have formed a pronounced dislike to the rough give-and-take of Washington political life, and it would not surprise his intimates should he embrace the first opportunity to get back into private life.

Mellon Disheartened

Secretary Mellon has found rough sledding in Washington with his tax programme, and this is said to have increased his dislike for his job. One of his first official acts was the presentation to Congress of an estimate of how much money it would take to run the Federal Government for the next fiscal year, based on the amount of expenditures which he saw would be necessary in the existing state of things.

Congress, with an eye to re-election next year and realizing the potency of an economy argument with the average voter, slashed his estimates unmercifully. President Harding was called in as a mediator in the resultant dispute and, realizing the party's need, the Chief Executive supported the Congressional side, with the result that Mellon's figures were discarded.

Many of the Secretary's tax recommendations suffered the same fate at the hands of House Republicans in charge of framing the new revenue bill. The Republicans of the Senate Finance Committee likewise disregarded and cast aside a number of his recommendations.

The net result of these experiences is said to have increased the Secretary's dislike for a post which he was reluctant to accept in the first place.

Weeks Wants Mellon's Post

If Mellon does resign, it is generally believed in Washington that Secretary of War John W. Weeks will be shifted over to the Treasury Department, where he has long desired to be. It is understood that Weeks

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CARL BAER WILL MAKE THREE TALKS

WILL SPEAK AT COLLEGE AT 11 O'CLOCK

TICKETS ARE LIMITED

Saturday Evening Post Calls Speaker "Veritable Human Dynamo Of Energy"

Carl Baer's coming!

This is how the Iowa State Chamber of Commerce announced what it considered its feature attraction of the year, a series of speeches by the head of the development service bureau of the St. St. Louis Chamber of Commerce. And just the announcement, "Carl Baer's Coming!" was enough to give him big audiences everywhere he spoke on his Iowa tour.

Baer has been secured for an address at the meeting of members of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce next Monday night. His address will follow the luncheon at the Bainum Hotel, for which only 150 tickets can be sold.

The speaker will arrive in Maryville on the early morning Wabash, according to a letter received from him today. He will speak at the State Teachers College at 11 o'clock in the morning, at the High School at 2:10 o'clock in the afternoon and to the Chamber of Commerce following the dinner at 6:30 o'clock. He will leave after that address for Vincennes, Ind., where he will speak the following afternoon.

Those who have heard Mr. Baer will agree with Forrest Crissey, feature writer for the Saturday Evening Post, who speaks of him in the issue of September 11 as a "veritable human dynamo of energy." He is considered one of the country's most forceful and interesting speakers, on the subject of community development.

PARAMOUNT FILM COMPANY BREAKS ARBUCKLE CONTRACT

Officials Say "Fattys" Days As Star Are Over, Regardless of Scandal's Outcome

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 23.—The new undertow which has been running strong through official movieland the last week last night swept "Fatty" Arbuckle out of the rank of stars. In the quiet of the night the ties holding "Fatty" to Paramount were broken by the service of a notice to that effect on his attorney.

Officials of the company have believed from the beginning of the present scandal that whatever the outcome may be, "Fatty" days as a star are ended. The breaking of the contract was done regretfully because the corpulent actor has been a big asset and personally popular with members of the organization.

On a strict legal interpretation, Arbuckle has fighting ground in the matter, it is said, but Paramount has no fear that the contract will be subject of litigation in the circumstances. Lowell Sherman was very willing to terminate his contract as leading man in a Gloria Swanson picture.

It is understood Paramount executives have sent out word that all existing contracts must be amended forthwith to include a provision that contracts shall automatically terminate if a star is guilty of loose conduct leading to general public censure.

CHARGES TURKS CARRIED OFF 1000 ARMENIAN GIRLS

Were Doped With Opium to Weaken Wills, Then Sold Into White Slavery

Geneva, Sept. 23—The allegation that at least a thousand Armenian girls were carried off to Turkish harems and ultimately sold into white slavery throughout the world was made in a report presented to the League of Nations Assembly today by Mademoiselle Avaresco of Rumania. She is head of the committee which investigated the reported deportation of women and children.

The report declares the Turks, after carrying off the Armenian girls, doped them with opium to weaken their wills and kill their desire to return home.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to:

Donald L. Foreman	Bedford
Elsie F. Gaddis	Bedford
Price Doyle	Maryville
Loree Strader	Maryville

STUDENTS PRACTICE YELLS FOR FIRST FOOTBALL GAME

Meeting at College Overflows With Pep—Principal Talk by W. A. Blagg.

Extensive plans were made to help the Bearcats win the first football game of the season from the Kirksville Bulldogs here next Friday afternoon at a pep meeting held this afternoon at the State Teachers College.

School yells and songs were practiced and a series of snappy talks given by Miss Blanche Dow, Coach Russell Sprong, Miss Olive DeLuce and W. A. Blagg.

After the meeting more yelling was the feature and at the close of the meeting the whole mass of students lined up in single file and marched all over the building, singing and yelling till the walls fairly rang. All of the yells and songs that were taught today will likely be copyrighted.

Other pep meetings will be had all through next week. It is the purpose to have every student thoroughly familiar with all of the yells and songs, but sore throats on the day of the game will be avoided.

RELIEF WORK UNDER WAY AMONG EXPLOSION VICTIMS

Officials Investigate to Find Cause of Blast Which Killed 1200 Persons.

Berlin, Sept. 23—More than 21,000,000 marks have been appropriated for the relief of the stricken families at Oppau, where an explosion two days ago razed the town and killed about 1,200 persons and injured 2,000 others.

The wreckage is still being searched for bodies, while an investigation is under way to determine the cause of the explosion. There has been so far no confirmation of the report that the explosion was caused by experiments with a new war gas.

Manheim, Germany, Sept. 23—Desolation and ruins alone remain of what was once the flourishing town of Oppau. The town had 6,500 residents, of which a majority of the men engaged in the chemical works were killed or wounded.

Soldiers in French uniforms are clearing away the wreckage, picking up the dead and injured as after a big battle.

Eleven hundred dead and four thousand injured is the latest estimate of the disaster yesterday, which caused a greater number of casualties in Manheim-Ludwigshafen district than the four years of the war. The desoultion around Oppau equals anything seen at Verdun or in Flanders over a similar area. Hundreds of persons are digging in the ruins for the bodies of relatives or friends, nearly a thousand of which have been recovered thus far.

PERFECTED WOODCRAFT TO MEET MONDAY, OCTOBER 3

Through mixing of dates, it has become necessary to postpone the organization meeting of Perfected Woodcraft until Monday night, October 3, according to County Clerk Fred Smith. W. H. Smith, who was to have spoken tomorrow night came to Maryville yesterday, believing that the meeting had been scheduled for that date. He could not remain here until tomorrow, as he had another speaking date for Sata la He will return Monday, October 3, together with Claude Wilkerson of Sedalia, president of the new organization.

WOMAN SHOOTS RIVAL; THEN KILLS HERSELF.

New York, Sept. 23.—Mrs. Grace Laws, San Francisco divorcee, today shot and seriously wounded Miss Mildred Hanan, daughter of the late James Hanan, millionaire shoe manufacturer, and then killed herself in front of a fashionable apartment.

Miss Hanan, escorted by John Borland, an importer, was about to get into an automobile, after visiting friends, when the shooting occurred. She was carried to a hospital.

Jealousy over Borland's affections is assigned as the cause of the tragedy.

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CHURCHES TO UNITE IN UNION SERVICES

WILL WELCOME THE REV. B. F. CLINE TO NEW CHARGE.

SIX MINISTERS TAKE PART

The Rev. Frank J. Mapel Will Preside and Officially Welcome His Successor.

The five Protestant churches will unite Sunday night in services at the First Christian church, welcoming the Rev. B. F. Cline, new pastor of the Buchanan Street Methodist church.

The Rev. Frank J. Mapel, president of the Ministerial Alliance, will preside at the union services and officially extend the welcome to his successor. The sermon will be given by the honored minister.

The order of the services will be as follows:

The Doxology.

Invocation—The Rev. J. A. Cooper, pastor of the First Baptist church.

Scripture lesson—The Rev. S. P. Allison, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

Prayer—Dr. O. L. Curl, pastor of the First Methodist church.

Anthem—Processional Chorus from the cantata, "Bethany," (Rhys Herbert), by the combined choirs of the five churches.

Offertory violin solo—C. D. Kutschinski.

Presentation and welcoming of the new minister by the Rev. Mr. Mapel, presiding elder of the Galiatin district of the Methodist Episcopal church, South.

Sermon—The Rev. B. F. Cline.

Closing hymn—Combined choirs.

Benediction—The Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian church.

The services will begin at 8 o'clock.

PEACE TREATIES REPORTED FAVORABLY TO SENATE

American Troops Will Be Withdrawn From Rhine as Soon as German Treaty Is Ratified.

Washington, Sept. 23.—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today voted to report favorably to the Senate the peace treaties with German, Austria and Hungary. Senator Borah of Idaho, Republican, was the only member of the committee who voted against a favorable report.

Washington, Sept. 23.—American soldiers on duty along the Rhine will be withdrawn shortly after the Senate ratifies the German-American peace treaty, according to Senator New of Indiana, who said he spoke for President Harding.

FORMER RESIDENT BURIED AT SWINFORD CEMETERY

Funeral Services are Held Near Arkoe for Franklin A. Woodard of St. Joseph.

Funeral services for Franklin A. Woodard, a former Maryville resident, were held at 12:30 o'clock today at the Swinford cemetery, four miles east of Arkoe. The Rev. C. M. Chilton, pastor of the First Christian church in St. Joseph, conducted the services. Mr. Woodard died Thursday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. N. E. Butcher, in St. Joseph. Other relatives attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Butcher, Leslie Woodard of St. Joseph, Mrs. J. C. Pound, Cushing, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Otis Woodard of Creston, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nichols of Downs, Kan.

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THE WEATHER

Probably thundershowers this afternoon or to-night, Saturday partly cloudy with probably cooler in the west portion.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

FREE LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE by FRANK H. LEONARD, C. S. B.

Tomorrow Night—DOROTHY GISH in "THE GOST IN THE GARRET"

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

ARMY CAPTAIN CLAIMS HE CAN TRISECT ANGLE

Geometric Problem That Has Puzzled Mathematicians for Years Is Believed Solved

San Francisco, Sept. 23—One of the most interesting and intricate problems of geometry, which for years has been a favorite puzzle of mathematicians, has been solved by a soldier.

Captain Terrill E. Price, aide to Major-General Charles H. Muir, commander of the Ninth Corps area of the United States Army, has trisected an angle with dividers and a right-angled ruler.

The announcement was made by General Muir, following reports that an Eastern mathematician had solved the problem, "but was not ready to announce his method." Captain Price is a University of Pennsylvania honor student in mathematics.

Captain Price has not only effected a solution of the problem, but his diagrams and particulars of his achievement are on file with the War Department, General Muir stated. Briefly, here is Captain Price's solution:

To trisect an angle with dividers and right-angled ruler:

Draw tangents to its sides at equal distances from the angle. Measure the distance from the side of the angle to the intersection of the tangents. Lay off twice this distance on a straight line and trisect it. (Using the regular geometric method for dividing a straight line into any given number of parts.)

Lay off the resulting third on each tangent separately, measuring from the side of the angle toward the intersection of the tangents. Connect the angle with the two points thus obtained by straight lines.

Trisect the chord from the bases of the tangents already drawn and draw straight lines from the trisection points to the angle. Bisect the second and fourth of the five angles now formed from the original angle.

These bisecting lines will trisect the original angle.

To prove the result correct.

Lay off equal distances from the angle on its sides and on the trisecting lines. Connect the nearest lines at these points with straight lines. The result will be triangles whose sides have been constructed equally, and whose bases will be found to be equal by actual measurement.

Therefore the three triangles are equal taken together form the original triangle, the original angle has been trisected.

To Make Women "Equal"

Washington, Sept. 23—Members of the Executive Committee and Council of the National Women's Party met here yesterday to pass upon the final draft of the proposed constitutional amendment designed to remove all legal inequalities of women. The resolution for the amendment is to be introduced in the Senate by Senator Curtis, of Kansas, and in the House by Representative Fess, of Ohio. It has been in course of preparation by officers of the woman's party for several months and in its present form has received the endorsement of constitutional lawyers.

At its meeting today members of the council also prepared plans for the formal dedication of its new headquarters opposite the Capitol. The headquarters were purchased for the party by Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont and are to be dedicated on November 3.

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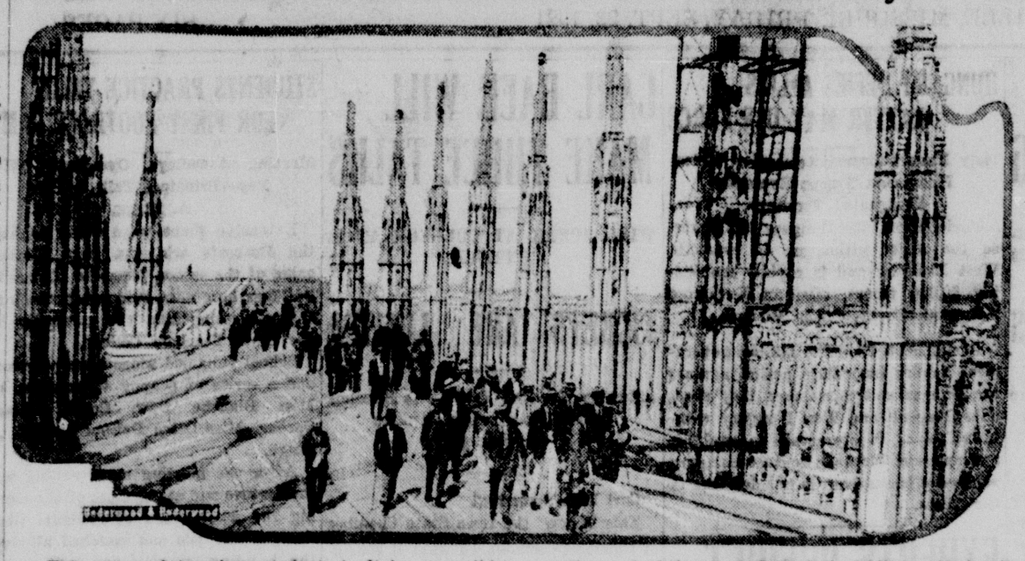

This group of American students in Italy are walking over the roof of the great Cathedral of Milan, viewing its architectural wonders.

TWO WOMEN'S HATE MAY RENEW WAR

MAY FAN TO FLAME WEST VIRGINIA'S FIERY SOULS.

WIDOWS BROOD REVENGE

Primeval Passions Must Be Considered in Any Permanent Settlement of Mine War.

(Note.—This is the third and last of a series of articles on the mining warfare in West Virginia. In two preceding stories the writer, who made several months' study of conditions on the spot, outlined the economic causes and effects of the bitter warfare between the miners and operators. The emotional background of the "Armageddon" between capital and labor is described below).

By SIEFFRIED D. WEYER
Int. News Service Staff Correspondent.
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New York, Sept. 23.—"One thing that may upset the temporary quiet here is a woman's revenge," telegraphs Mildred Morris, the intrepid International News Service staff correspondent, who, after harrowing experiences on the Logan battlefront, is now reporting the second "Trigger Trial" in the Mingo county court house at Williamson, West Virginia.

Two women of Mingo brood revenge. One is Mrs. Sid Hatfield, twice made a widow by gun play. The other is Mrs. Ed Chambers, widow of the youngest of the fifteen men who, with Sid Hatfield, were acquitted last March after an eight-week's trial of the charge of having murdered Detective Albert Felts. Both were present when, early last month, C. E. Lively, the "crack" sleuth of the Baldwin-Felts Detective Agency, shot and killed Hatfield and Chambers on the steps of the court house at Welch, W. Va. Lively had been a star witness against the defendants in the first "trigger trial."

From the moment that the shrewd-eyed, acquillene-nosed self-confessed union spy had revealed on the witness stand the remarkable dual life he had led for nine years—as a detective for the coal operators and a member in good standing of the United Mine Workers of America—it was, to those who know the Mingo temper, merely a question of who would beat the other to the draw—Lively or Hatfield, Lively or Chambers, Lively or any of the other indicted miners, once they met again.

Hatred and Love Primeval.

Hand in hand with hatred in that passion wrought country goes love. And the mountaineer's love is as deep as their hatred. Utterly unaffected almost primitive in its manifestations, it is the proud, hell-defying, world-contemptuous sort of love that stops at nothing, that knows neither limit nor law nor logic.

Those hill-folk are, for the most part, direct descendants of pioneers that crossed the mountains with their pack-horses and dogs and rifles a hundred and fifty years ago and settled in the Virginia wilds. They are essentially children of nature. Civilization, with its arts and graces and shamefaced restraint, has made little headway among these people. Their emotions are as primitive as their manners. They are a different breed from any people on the face of the globe. And through the make-up of almost all of them runs that strange thread of duality that makes them smile with murder in their hearts and grunt and glare when they are happy.

The loyalty and affection between friends and the passionate ardor between lovers were peculiarly apparent during the trial at Williamson, which, by the way, was, in point of number of defendants, unique in American court annals. Never before had twenty-three men been arraigned simultaneously upon a murder charge before the same bar of justice. Wives and sweethearts clung tenderly to the arms of their men in prisoners' row. Women were also plentiful among the spectators. Jeers, hisses, handclaps, shouts of approval punctuated all hearings. The whole trial was surcharged with emotionalism.

On the first day of the great legal drama—January 26—the whole jammed court room escaped by a hair's breadth a tragedy which staggers imagination.

Credit for averting it unquestionably belongs to Tom Felts, head of the Baldwin-Felts Detective Agency. Not until after the hearing was over did it become generally known that practically everyone of the twenty-three accused were sitting on the accusers' benches, armed to the teeth. All had one gun, most of them two. How many "gats" were bulging in hind pockets among the men in the audience cannot be estimated, but it is safe to say there were several dozen. In a back room were a half-dozen regular soldiers belonging to Colonel Herman Hall's detachment, then stationed in Williamson, but later withdrawn; each was armed with an automatic. One tiny movement by someone might have led to the "shooting up" of the courtroom.

Massacre Averted.

Someone did make such a movement, and it was none other than Sid Hatfield, the young chief of police of Matewan, now dead. Tom Felts was striding down the aisle past the benches on which sat the twenty-three miners from Matewan, whose prosecution he was financing—the men charged with the murder of his two brothers. Sid Hatfield was sitting at the outer edge of the first row. Waves of hot hatred seemed to sizzle back and forth between these two arch-foes. As Felts came nearer, Hatfield, a slight sneer on his face, suddenly made a jerky movement to his "gat" pocket and ostentatiously switched the position of one of his weapons.

Felts later told the writer that it was the tensest moment of his life.

"If I have ever felt the temptation to shoot, it was then," he said. "Moreover, by the oldest law in the world—the law of self-defense, the law of beating your man to the draw and the drop—I had a perfect right to kill Hatfield right then and there in the courtroom. And there followed a minute when one more move, ever so slight, on Hatfield's part, would have sent him where my brothers are."

Felts promptly told the state's attorneys what had happened. Captain S. B. Avis, his chief counsel, told Judge Robert D. Bailey, sitting in the case, who then gave the "disarmament order" which resulted in every man and woman thereafter being "frisked" for weapons before entering the courtroom.

The killing of young Chambers by Lively brings to mind the picture of his beautiful young wife, who always sat beside him during the trial, her large, lustrous dark eyes fastened intently upon the witness, the interrogating lawyer, or the Judge.

It was she who nearly caused wholesale bloodshed one afternoon, when, at the end of the hearing, as the crowd filed out of the courthouse, she attacked Isaac Brewer, ex-defendant, who had turned state's witness. Sending her fist to the jaw of the lanky six-footer, famous as one of Mingo's most dreaded two-gun men, she cried:

"You are a dirty dog. You are trying to get my husband and my little brother hanged."

Only the timely interference by state troopers prevented a mob scene and massacre. Now her husband is dead, shot by another state's star witness, Lively.

All this is an inherent part of the emotional setting in which the recent "March to Mingo" was staged, resulting in bloody fighting and the eventual interference of government troops.

But what was this "March to Mingo? Was it, as has been hinted, an organized attempt by five or six thousand union miners to force their way through Logan county, the 'open shop' coal field whose economic importance has been described in previous articles, and "break down" the virtual state of martial law existing in Mongo?"

All the facts brought out thus far tell a different tale. It has been shown that the United Mine Workers officials were and are against such a move and that two of the union's most influential officials, Keeney and Mooney, brought all their influence and persuasion to bear to stop the "march." Also events have shown the utter futility of an attempt—organized or unorganized—to force unionism upon the Logan fields.

What seems infinitely more probable is that the concentration of union miners arose from the gatherings of individual group and that it gradually gained strength and impetus from subsequent inflammatory words and actions.

The bitterest blood has been created by the killing of Hatfield and Chambers by a Felts detective in a non-union and Baldwin-Felts stronghold.

Emotion Breeds An Army.

"Cold-blooded murder!" was the cry raised by the United Mine Workers of America. The union saw to it that every member learned the details of the shooting. It charged that Hatfield who, rightly or wrongly, had been lifted to a position of heroic leadership among the union men, had been "framed" and "trapped" and "put out of the way" in time to deprive the second "trigger trial" of this publicly picturesque figure.

As word of all this slowly spread over the mountainsides there devolped one of those strange phenomena whose genesis can be traced back to the thoughts, emotions and actions of individuals—thousands of them, independent of each other and living in widely-separated regions—and whose culminating manifestation is the powerful, united, concentric action of a great mass of men.

Individuals met other individuals and found they were headed the same way: "Ah'm goin' down to the Mingo co't-house. Ah reckon thar'll be a right smart lively time down there."

Thus groups were formed and groups met other groups. Presently they grew into a swarm, into an army, for that they are armed—always, and heavily—is an old story by now.

Meanwhile the more radical union organizers, quick to seize the advantage of this migration and this concentric trend of emotion, no doubt made all possible capital out of it. Word was spread that the defendants in the second Matewan Gun-Battle trial at Williamson would be "railroaded" to the penitentiary or the gallows. Emphasis was laid upon the fact that for the first time men from Mingo were to be tried by a jury called from an outside county. That "no jury can be found in Mingo to convict these men" had been an open secret for months. Through the efforts of one of the Felts lawyers, ex-Judge Joseph Sanders, a member of the West Virginia legislature, an old statute had been revived, making possible the drawing of a "stranger's jury."

Meanwhile, as the number of "marching" miners grew, the coal operators and their legion of supporters in Logan, backed up by the well-equipped State Constabulary and Don Chafin's private army, prepared to meet the threatened "invasion." What at first probably was the remotest thing from the minds of the "marchers" soon became a definte purpose. There was a clash, then another, then "battle formation," and presently actual battles followed.

And that is part of the story of the "March to Mingo" and of the mining war.

Whose "gat" will write the beginning of the next chapter, and what will be the "finis" of it all?

SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM HAS RECORD ENROLLMENT

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 20—More than half of the states in the United States are represented by students taking courses in the School of Journalism of the University of Missouri. At present there are enrolled students from twenty-nine states, and the District of Columbia, Canada, the Philippine Islands, China and India. The States from which students come are: Missouri, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Kentucky, Arkansas, Colorado, New York, New Jersey, Indiana, Massachusetts, North Carolina, South Carolina, California, Nebraska, Alabama, Wisconsin, Mississippi, Florida, Louisiana, Georgia, Wyoming, Maryland and West Virginia.

The enrollment is a 25 per cent increase over that of last year. There are more than 300 taking courses in Journalism, of whom more than 200 are interested primarily in Journalism. The University of Missouri School of Journalism has the largest attendance of any school of journalism in the country.

Wilcox vs Hopkins Sunday

The last ball game of the season will be played in Hopkins next Sunday—Wilcox vs. Hopkins. This is a "saw" game, Hopkins having won over Wilcox 4 to 2 and Wilcox beating Hopkins 2 to 1.

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Social Gossip and Clubs

Ladies Aid Society

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church met yesterday at the church in all day meeting. The Society plans to hold its semi-annual rummage sale on Saturday, October 15. There was a good attendance at the meeting.

Gaddis-Foreman.

Miss Elsie F. Gaddis and Donald L. Foreman, both of Bedford, Ia., were united in marriage at the home of the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, the officiating clergyman, in Maryville, yesterday at 5 o'clock.

Junior Missionary Society

The Junior Missionary Society of the Buchanan Street Methodist Church will meet at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of Mary Elizabeth Selecman, 806 South Walnut Street. The children are requested to meet at the church at 1:30 o'clock.

Announce Approaching Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Nelson of Parnell announced the approaching marriage of their daughter, Virginia Frances, and John H. Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Houston of Burlington Junction. The wedding will take place on Wednesday, October 5.

White Cloud Club

The White Cloud Club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wilmer Hubbard south of Maryville. Roll call was responded to with quotations from the Bible. The afternoon was spent socially and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Will Hubbard. The members present were Mrs. Ralph Hukill, Mrs. James Clements, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. Harry Wamsley, Mrs. C. H. Rice, Mrs. Harry Hunt, Mrs. J. D. Bolin and Miss Ruby Rice, and the visitor for the day was Mrs. Will Hubbard.

Mrs. Bovard Hostess

Mrs. Oliver Bovard was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Wednesday Bridge Culb at her home on South Buchanan Street. Mrs. B. M. Chandler received the favor for high score. Mrs. Lewis DeHart and Mrs. William F. Chaves of Dodge City, Kan., were guests of the club.

Dinner at Green Parrot

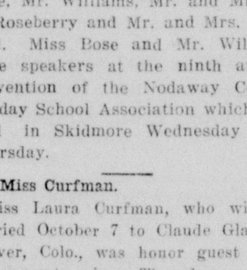
Miss Lottie Mae Bose of St. Louis and Sterling Williams of Kansas City were honor guests at a dinner party given Thursday evening at the Green Parrot. The party included Miss Bose, Mr. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Seal. Miss Bose and Mr. Williams were speakers at the ninth annual convention of the Nodaway County Sunday School Association which was held in Skidmore Wednesday and Thursday.

For Miss Curfman.

Miss Laura Curfman, who will be married October 7 to Claude Glass of Denver, Colo., was honor guest at a dinner party given Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank at their home on East Seventh street. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Curfman and daughters, Misses Helen, Mary Ruth and Gertrude Curfman, Mrs. Lula Fraser and sons, Conrad Blackman and Robert Fraser, and Eva Margaret Frank.

Penelope Club Picnic

The Penelope Club gave its annual picnic supper at the College Park Thursday evening when the husbands of the members and a few additional friends were the guests. In the company were Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. John Price, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Costello, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Townsend, Mr. and Byron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mrs. Louisa Catterson, Mrs. J. D. Ford, Mrs. Robert Larmer, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. Lora Meacham and little son, Monty, Mrs. Mary Lambert, Mrs. S. J. DeArmond and her guest, Mrs. Stundon, Misses Gertrude and Marie Wright, Helen Baker, Matie Price, Virginia Larmer, Beatrice Lemon, and Clun, Harry and John Price, Ray Cook, Richard Baker, Simeon Wright and John Murrin.



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Mothers Club

The Mothers Club of the Buchanan Street Methodist Church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E J. Pyle on Prather Avenue. "Training the Child in Courtesy" was the theme of the meeting and Mrs. Harry Potts, Mrs Bess Thorp, Mrs. E. L Padgette and Mrs. Frank Mapel discussed the subject. At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served by the hostess. Mrs Harry Potts was the guest of the afternoon and there were twenty mothers and children present. Mrs. Will Todd was taken in as a new member. Mrs. Earl Henderson, 215 West Fifth Street, will be the next hostess on October 13.

Strader-Doyle Nuptials.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strader, 417 S. Dewey St., was the scene of a quiet wedding at 7:30 o'clock last night, when their daughter, Miss Loree Strader, became the bride of Price Doyle The Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian Church, performed the ceremony in the presence of the members of the bride's family. The bride wore a white satin dress trimmed with lace and rose buds in light blue and pink shades, and her tulle veil was caught in ruching effect with tiny rose buds. Following the ceremony light refreshments were served. The bride is a reader of much talent and has appeared in a number of club and church entertainments in Maryville. Mr. Doyle is a singer and at present is engaged in Chautauqua work. The couple will make their home in Maryville temporarily.

Steak Fry

A number of the employees of the First National Bank and the Gillam-Jackson Trust Company enjoyed a steak fry Thursday evening at the peninsula on the Reasecker farm, southwest of Maryville. In the party were Miss Grace Parle, Miss Hazel Sheridan, Miss Helen Tobin and her guest, Miss Hazel Sullivan of Chicago, Forrest Gillam and Harold James.

Herron Homemaking Circle

Ten members of the Herron Homemaking Circle met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Zilla Everest, northwest of Maryville, for their regular meeting. The afternoon was devoted to needlework, after which refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Mona Marie Everest and Mrs. Gordon Flowers. The visitors for the afternoon were Mrs. Robert Sawyers and Mrs. Gordon Flowers and the members present were Mrs. Orb Griffey, Mrs. S. E. Fisher, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. W. T. Osborne, Mrs. R. Neidel, Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, Mrs. George Colter, Mrs. Dave Neidel, Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Esther Neidel and Miss Mona Marie Everest. The club will hold its next meeting September 28 with Mrs. L. A. Neidel.

For Minnesota Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Will Linville of Long Prairie, Minn., who are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Linville and Mr. and Mrs. John Haist, and other relatives in Maryville and Nodaway County, were honor guests at a picnic dinner yesterday at the College Park. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Linville, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Otis McNeal and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Talbott, Mr. and Mrs. James Linville, Mr. and Mrs. George Crider, Mr. and Mrs. John Haist, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haist and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lyle and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Linville, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Yahrmark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yahrmark, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Yahrmark and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williamson and son, Mrs. Ager , Mrs. Florence McNeal, Mrs. Amelia Outs, Mrs. G. R. Epperson, Mrs, S. H. Kemp, Mrs. Anna Fox, Mrs. Guy Haller, Miss Bertha Crider, Miss Ethel Epperson, Miss Minnie Fox, Kern Moody, Chester Lyle, Oliver McNeal, John Crider, Everett Fox, Harold Kemp and Merrill Epperson.

Entertain College Seniors.

Miss Beatrix Winn and Miss Mary MacLeod, sponsors of the senior class of the State Teachers College, entertained the seniors last night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan on West Second street. The first part of the evening was spent in spelling and word contests and the remainder of the time was devoted to a game of golf on a "nine-hole course." Miss Lucile Holmes made the best score. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the game. The members of the senior class are Misses Lucile Holmes, Alice Peery, Lucile Wright, Maud McElwain, Dora Allyn Willis, Ethel Gillinger, Blanche McMahon, Elizabeth Leet, Helen Dean, and Jay Puckett, class president; Earl Bland, Harold Sawyers, W. L. Watson, Paul Pickens, and Henry Gannon.

Celebrate Two Birthdays.

The pupils in room 3 of the Pickering public school entertained last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hall in Pickering to celebrate the fourteenth birthday of Raymond Hall and the seventeenth birthday of George Ashford. There were two birthday cakes, a brown cake holding fourteen lighted white candles and a white cake decorated with seventeen pink tapers. The evening was spent in games, after which refreshments were served by the teacher, Miss Helen Tebow, and Miss Evelyn Ashford. Those present were Misses Hazel Scott, Jennie Mann, Irene Gray, Evelyn Ashford, Miss Tebow and Keith Thompson, Marvin Mann, Roland Scott, Earl Loch, Kenneth Swinford, Donald McGinness, Raymond McKee, Harry Copeland, Harold Copeland and the two honor guests.

Eastern Star Meeting.

Rosanna Chapter No. 262, Order of Eastern Star, will meet at 8 o'clock tonight.

CORN PRIZES EXCEED $1,500

Nine Trophies and 401 Prizes in State Corn Show

The nineteenth annual corn show of the Missouri Corn Growers Association will be held January 16 to 20 at Columbia. The cash prizes will exceed $1,500, according to announcements made this week by Secretary C. E. Carter, extension specialist in field crops at the Missouri College of Agriculture. Nine trophies, two gold watches and 399 additional prizes will offer sufficient inducement to bring together the very best corn produced in Missouri this year. This is a good corn year and some high records are expected in the production contests.

Entries in the production contests this year have reached an unusually high total. In the men's five-acre contests there are 28 entries, and in the boys' five-acre contest 182. For honors in the one-acre race, 149 boys are competing. There are 72 men and boys in the soybean production contest.

The show will include not only corn but also wheat, oats, soybeans, cowpeas, clover and grasses. As usual, also, an examination will be conducted for the certification of qualified grain judges.

The premium lists of the state corn show are off the press this week and are being mailed out to prospective exhibitors by C. E. Carter, Secretary, Columbia, Mo.

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1 Wonder 4 hole cook stove.

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Greek Crown Prince With His Army

Crown Prince George of Greece (in center) with a group of Greek officers at Eski-Shehr, Asia-Minor, following the defeat of the Turkish nationalists by the Greek forces. General Papaulas, commander in chief of the Greek armies in Asia-Minor, is shown to the right of the crown prince.

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC MEN MEETS

Washington, Sept. 23—The first national convention of the National Council of Catholic Men assembled here yesterday, with delegates present from practically every diocese in the United States. The convention met at the Catholic University, where the Annual Conference of Archbishops and Bishops also is taking place. Nearly 600 representatives of the diocesan organizations are in attendance.

Various committees of the convention have prepared for approval and adoption a programme of nation-wide activities in which Catholic men are to engage under the direction of the Archbishops and Bishops of the 101 dioceses. The work of the National Council is to include civic and patriotic service, as well as purely religious endeavor.

The convention plans to establish Catholic community centers in the larger cities of the country to found a national school for training Catholic men in social welfare work, and for conducting a general campaign for civic education and Americanization. A method for financing the council is also to be determined.

Money, Liquor, Relatives Are Chief Foes of Marital Bliss

Cleveland, Sept. 23.—Money, liquor, relatives. These three are declared by Bradley Hall, Director of the Bureau of Domestic Relations, to be the principal causes of divorces and domestic troubles in Ohio.

"The extravagnce of the wife, the shiftlessness of the husband, or the desire of the wife to be free to earn her own money and thus enjoy a better economic status, all tend to loosen the matrimonial bond," he declared.

Hall's duties bring him in direct touch with causes of domestic infelicity, and there are few who can speak with greater authority than he upon the troubles which cause the breaking up of home and the separation of families.

Liquor, he said, while still in the first three as a moving factor in t he breaking of the marriage tie, is not nearly so important as it was before the advent of prohibition.

"While booze of one sort or another is still plentiful," he continued, "its cost is high, and law enforcement makes it more or less difficult for the average man to satisfy whatever desire he may have for alcoholic drinks.

"The housing shortage, too, contributes to the unrest. The newlyweds live with their parents to save expenses. Petty quarrels between the young folks, which would be forgotten with the dawn of a new day were they living alone, are taken up and prolonged by the older people until they become festering sores that end too often in the divorce court. Reconciliations become difficult, because the older people display too lively an interest in the outcome."

Too great emphasis is placed by the modern young people upon material things, Hall believes. Home nowadays is too often only a place to eat and sleep—a base, as it were, from which forays are made upon t he world at large for the things that people now regard as important. "In other words," he said, "the home is only a means to an end—not the end itself, and this makes for unrest when young wills clash and the income dwindles. There is not that unity of interest that used to be so marked a feature of our home life, with the husband earning the money, and the wife safeguarding its outgo."

Hall also declared that changes wrought in war's aftermath contributed much to clogging the divorce courts. Many young fellows returning from overseas, he said, had contracted the wanderlust.

"And what's the remedy for all this?" the interviewer asked.

"More emphasis upon spiritual values; less upon material well-being" he answered. "America is suffering more from the breaking up of family life than from industrial depression or any other cause. The disease from which we suffer is within us. The cure, also, can be found there."

Mrs. Somerville to Return Saturday.

Mrs. A. Niel Somerville will return to Maryville tomorrow from a visit of four months with her sister, Mrs. S. R. Walters, and her brothers, Edward and Charles Valpy, in Mal Bay and Peree, Quebec, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Ricker of El Reno, Okla., arrived in Maryville last night to visit Miss Mary Lewis. They are enroute home from a motor trip to Des Moines, Ia., and will leave Maryville tomorrow morning.

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Light-Six touring car	1150	Light-Six 5-pass. sedan	1850
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Special-Six touring car	1635	Special-Six 5-pass. sedan	2550
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How Billy Won His Parents

By CORONA REMINGTON

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"But, Harry," the girl remonstrated, "if I married I would have to give up my profession. Think what that would mean, and how I worked during those three hard years of training. And I love it, Harry; I love to feel that I am a tiny unit equipped and willing to relieve suffering."

"Yes, but you don't seem to realize that you'd relieve my suffering a whole lot, Edith, if you'd marry me," said the doctor, sadly. "It isn't as if I could marry simply for home. I guess I could get some one who would be willing to be my wife."

"I'm sure you could, dear." In a flash Edith Johnson ran over in her mind the number of nurses in her acquaintance who had been "crazy" about the handsome doctor, although he had given them no encouragement.

"It isn't like that with me," Harry Morton went on. "I've loved you for four years, ever since you came here as a probationer, and used to sit in the anatomy class with your eyes fixed on me like two shining stars. I could see them in the dark after I went home."

"Don't, Harry, for goodness' sake. I must go back to the hospital now," she said, glancing at her watch. "I'm on duty again at three and there's an operation from the charity ward."

"That's a fact. I nearly forgot my case. I'm operating on a little fellow—want to try to fix his back, but don't know whether I can. He's walked on crutches all his life—was here last summer for a broken hip. That's when I got interested in him and persuaded his guardian to let me have a try at his back."

"Oh, he's an orphan," said the girl, her eyes soft with sympathy. "We must do something to cheer him up."

"He don't need cheering up. He's the happiest little fellow you ever saw. What he needs is mother love

Standing Beside the Operating Table.

and proper food. The woman that's caring for him now is past fifty and acts as if she thought that all children should be chloroformed at birth."

"How dreadful!" exclaimed Edith. "What a life for a child!"

An hour later Doctor Morton and Nurse Johnson were standing beside the operating table on which lay the figure of a tiny, big-eyed boy.

"Just take a nice long breath and go to sleep," the anesthetist said cheerfully.

"If I'm going to sleep I got to say my prayers," declared the boy. "I'll say 'em to Doctor Harry."

Morton took the little fellow in his arms and the boy, burying his curly head in the doctor's shoulder, began:

Now I lay me down to sleep,
And pray the Lord my soul to keep.
If I should die before I wake,
I pray the Lord my soul to take.

"Amen," whispered the doctor fervently.

"Good-night," smiled the boy placing a moist kiss on the doctor's cheek.

"Good-night, pretty nurse," Billy waved to Edith.

Tears stood in the girl's eyes as she took the wraithlike form in her arms.

"Good-night, you precious thing," she said, holding him close for a minute.

"You and Doctor Harry are nice to kiss—Aunt Jenny isn't," volunteered the child.

It seemed ages before they could determine the outcome of the operation, and night after night the two watched the little fellow struggling for life.

"He's such a delicate little chap that even if we do pull him out of this he hasn't much chance without proper care and nourishment."

"It's a sin," murmured the girl vehemently. "And he's so beautiful and so happy and so intelligent. He has a right to a chance."

"I know it, but that woman who brought him here understands children about as much as I do Choctaw."

The night that Billy took a turn for the better the doctor and nurse celebrated by going out to dinner together."

"It's such a triumph for you," Edith smiled across the table as they waited for their order to be filled.

"Yes. I'm happy about it, but I'm happier still that Billy won't have to be a cripple for life. At least he has a chance to make his own living now."

"Harry, I'm so proud of you." Impulsively the girl put out her hand toward him.

He took it and pressed it gently as he looked into the serious blue eyes, so full of feeling.

"That means more to me than anything else on earth," he answered solemnly.

The girl flushed and drew her hand away and was vexed with herself afterward for having done so. A shade of pain passed across the doctor's face, but he said nothing.

"I'm a brute," she thought. "Why did I do that? And he's so wonderful and gentle and good. What is it that always makes me rebuff and hurt him?"

The evening was a total failure and Edith could think of nothing to say in parting that could make it easier. All night she tossed with grief and remorse and welcomed the dawn and the coming activities of the day. She was both glad and afraid when the time came for Doctor Morgan's morning visit, but Billy seemed especially happy as he chattered away unconscious of the strained relation of the two.

"I expect you'll be able to go home in a few weeks now," the doctor smilingly told him.

"Don't want to go home," wailed the boy. "Want you and pretty nurse to be my mamma and papa." Clinging to the doctor's big hand he tried to choke down the sob in his throat. "Don't want to go home!" he kept repeating.

"All right, sonny. I'll be your dad anyway, but I don't know whether the pretty nurse'll help us out or not. Lord knows how we'll manage without her."

"Of course I'll be your mother, dear," said Edith, coming forward.

"Goodie! Goodie!" cried the boy. "And we'll live 'way out in the country and have a garden and plant oatmeal and oranges in it."

"You bet we will," said the doctor, taking the pretty nurse in his arms right before the amazed little boy.

RIVER FAMOUS IN HISTORY

Danube Is Now, and Has Long Been, the Most Important Waterway in Europe.

"One of the most significant indications that central Europe is on the road to better economic conditions is the report of a commission of experts that Danube shipping is increasing," notes a bulletin from the Washington headquarters of the National Geographic society.

"Economically, the Danube is to the landlocked nations of Europe what the Mediterranean is to the countries of southern Europe. Once the northern frontier of the Roman empire; later the path for conquering hordes of Huns, Slavs and Magyars, now the commercial Main street of central Europe, the Danube may claim to be the most important river of Europe, though it is exceeded by the Volga in length.

"Human activity attains extremes along the Danube's course even more marked than the contrasts along bizarre Broadway, New York. Its waters see the revels and destitution of Vienna and flow by flat rocks on which Hungarian women pound their clothes with woollen mallets and bear them away in tubs on their heads. They pass mills like those of Minneapolis, bear vessels like those on the Hudson, and turn wheels on boat-borne flour mills to which peasants bring grain in primitive ox carts with even the wheels kept in place by wooden pins.

"The river halves Budapest and courses by busy Belgrade, where it receives the waters of the Sava. It carries barges on which families live as they do on canal boats. Grim castles, great estates and tiny cottages stand along its banks.

"Scenically the Danube possesses variety almost as infinite. Rising in the Black forest, some of its waters seep through underground fissures to a stream of the Rhine basin. Sometimes it is pressed between high hills. Smaller craft appear on its waters in Bavaria. In Austria it splits into many arms and forms a whirlpool. In Hungary plains it sprawls wide, receiving many important branches, remnant of a prehistoric inland sea. It resumes a wild, torrential aspect again when it pierces the Kazan defile and the Iron gates. It receives nearly as many tributaries as there are days in the year and drains an area almost equivalent to that of Egypt.

"Along the steep right bank of the Kazan defile can be traced a road built by Trajan early in the Second century. Not until recently has the construction of a modern road made the defile passable upon either bank.

"Recognition of the international importance of the Danube was attested by placing it under a commission in 1856, and further provisions regarding it are contained in subsequent treaties, including that of Versailles in 1919."

Similar Ideals.

Jones—I see Cincinnati men are going to keep their hats on in elevators hereafter.

Smith—Yes, Cincinnati is ambitious to be just like New York.

Business.

"How's business in your neighborhood?" asked Wombat, the plumber, of Spareribs the butcher.

"Well, the beauty parlors are all doing well."

MAN RELEASED HERE IS RE-ARRESTED AT SKIDMORE

Harvey Best Taken to California to Answer to Charge of Passing Bad Checks

Harvey Best was arrested last Friday at the home of his uncle, Bill Davidson, east of Skidmore, and taken to California where he is wanted on a felony charge.

The story as printed in the Skidmore News is as follows:

Best bought a Ford car in California giving a check for it, and immediately started for Missouri. The car it is said, had no license plates, and how he succeeded in driving it half way across the continent, is something of a puzzle. The check given by Best proved to be worthless, and the constable at Corridon, Mo., the home of his parents, was notified. When Best reached home he was arrested and the car was taken. However, Best managed to escape from the constable, who is lame and was unable to catch him.

He came here some three or four weeks ago. Constable A. F. Hitchcock was notified and given a description of Best. He arrested him and took him to Maryville where he was questioned by Prosecuting Attorney McCaffrey, who decided that he wasn't the right man. He was released, but constable Hitchcock notified the constable at Corriden, who in turn notified the authorities in California. Sheriff W. J. Hime of King County, California, came to Corridon, and he and the constable at that place came here last Friday and arrested Best.

Best agreed to go back to California without extradition papers, and was taken on the afternoon train Friday.

Huff Trial Goes Over

The special term of the district court was adjourned Monday without trying Wren, the man accused of murdering his traveling companion and hiding his body in a cornfield near Braddyville. The case against Huff Brothers, Elmer Hamilton and George Lucas, accused of robbing the old hermit near Shambaugh also goes over till the October term. The accused men appeared in court Monday and were arranged, and then gave bonds for their appearance at the next term of court—the same amount as heretofore, $8,000 for Hamilton and $5,000 for each of the other three.—Blanchard State Line Herald

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Willard Batteries

The American "Flivver" Is Fast Becoming King of British Roads

London, Sept. 23.—Despite the high price of motor cars and the comparatively higher price of "petrol" England is motoring.

Henry Ford has something to do with it. Sundry long-headed manufacturers who hve tried to compete with Ford have evolved little two-cylinder, air-cooled engines, around which they have built what looks more or less like an automobile.

The slump in trade, hard times knocked the bottom from the automobile business. The showrooms of large cars are not crowded and have not been all summer.

Cars of standard five-passenger size, or bigger, are not for ordinary individuals in this country. The cheapest sell for prices seldom under $2,500. The cheapest two-seaters of what might be termed standard size and construction, cost $2,000.

The motor cycle and side car ranges from $480 to $900. Motoring isn't for the skilled mechanic in this country, as it is in the states. Mr. Ford's well-known and much joshed product sells for $900, stripped.

But a lot of people are finding t he 225 pounds sterling. For there's an epidemic of them on the roads. With dad astride the saddle, the boy in a seat behind and mother and daughter comfortably packed into a fairly roomy side-car, many a holiday trip has been taken this summer.

Father prefers the motor cycle side-car combination, because, with it, he gets about sixty miles to his sixty-five-cent gallon of "gas." It isn't the cost, it's the upkeep that causes many a family, which in the states would own a good car, to stick to the "squab basket."

The makers of cheap cars have improved on their models in the last year. At home the cheap car means Henry, naturally. But the Ford is a lord of the road compared with Britain's cheap car.

Here the phrase may mean four bicycle wheels, set narrow gauge, covered by a tub-like body, under which chugs a very cheap motorcycle engine—price $400. It seats one person or, a rare exception two, one behind the other. Or it may be a three-wheeled two seats ahead and one seat behind. Prices vary, but are usually around $1,000. There are diminutive cars, with bodies built on racing lines, with a long and impressive hood, which houses merely the passenger's feet, the motive power coming from a motorcycle engine at the rear.

Others, some having excellent body work, glistening bonnets and looking altogether like aristocrats are propelled by a good two-cylinder motorcycle engine, which occupies a small portion of the space ostensibly reserved for engine power. These will set you back about $1,400.

Like the American flivver, however, these near-cars all go. And English roads are built for light cars, being for the most part better than we can display at home. The roads are full of them. They solve the problem of comparatively cheap initial outlay and cheap operation.

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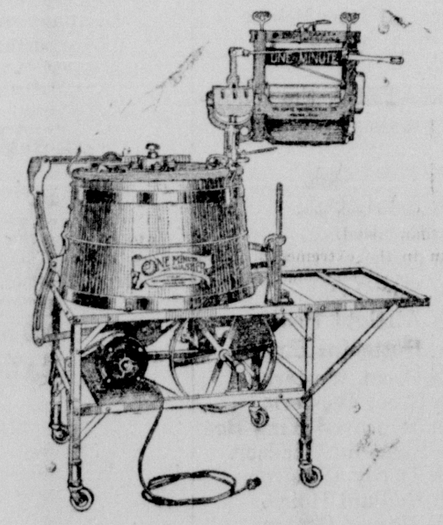

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Gaynor Items

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Cort and daughter, Miss Verna, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Ulmer.

Lewis Sparks and Orren Nigh, who have been attending school at Maryville, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Miss Mary Loveridge is at Chillicothe spending a few weeks with her aunt.

Mrs. W. E. Sparks and Mrs. Claude Thomas assisted Mrs. Otho Ulmer in cooking for silo filling Tuesday. They will finish it today, and that will bring silo filling to an end in this vicinity.

Mrs. Will Stickle, Estell Thomas and Mrs. Delmar New are on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lawler have returned to their home from a two weeks motor trip to Colorado, Nebraska and other Western points of interest. They reported a fine trip. Mr. Lawler's health was much better while there.

Will Stickle and Elvin Munn delivered two loads of hogs Tuesday morning at Parnell.

A local calf club show is planned for this fall by the Cottleville Calf Club in St. Charles county.

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FOR SALE.

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. J5-tf

FOR SALE — Large line of used heaters, ranges and cook stoves. Case Furniture Exchange. A13tf.

FOR SALE—Big spotted Poland-China male pigs, (March farrow) eligible to register in both the Standard and National records. From Henry Field's highest type of breeding. Good individuals. For information call at the premises. Cedar Summit-West end of 3rd street. Maryville or telephone D. Wallace, Hanamo 3346 or N. Sisson, Farmers 63. A30tf.

FOR SALE—A six room house and lot at 522 South Market street. This is a bargain for a quick sale. For particulars, write R. L. Denning, 2624 Olive St., St. Joseph, Mo. S8-tf

FOR SALE—Soft wood, cord, $6.50; mixed wood, hard and soft, cord, $7.50. 128 cubic feet to cord, delivered. B. F. Mozingo, Hanamo 4360. S19-19*

FARM SEEDS—All my own growing; rosen rye $1.00 per bu.; hard wheat $1.10 bu.; alfalfa seed $12.00 bu.; sweet clover, white or yellow, $10.00 bu. Phone residence morning, noon or evening. Elmer Fraser, seed room south side square. S9-tf

FOR SALE—Re-cleaned timothy seed $3.00 per bu. Wiley Lankford, Grahm, Mo. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Or trade, used cars, all model Fords and others cars. Farmers Garage, east side of square. 17-23

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, $10. Hanamo phone 6636. 21-23

FOR SALE—A few pure bred Poland-China spring boars, cheap if sold soon. Karl E. Zimmerman, Farmers 8-17. 21-23

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn hens and pullets. W. P. Wallace, Clearmont, Mo. S21-03*

FOR SALE—A few good yearlings and two-year-old registered Shropshire rams. R. A. Turner & Son, Hopkins, Mo. 21-23*

FOR SALE—70 head of high grade Shropshire ewes from 2 years old to 4 years. J. H. Baublits, 3 miles Southeast of Graham. 21-27*

FOR SALE—Improved 2 1-3 acres. First house north of 12th and Main Streets. Priced right, good terms. See owner, J. C. Roberson. 22-24*

FOR SALE—8 used cars of different makes in good condition at real bargain prices. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co., Kane Bldg., Maryville. 23-29

FOR SALE—L. C. Smith, Visible typewriter, practically new. Call E. C. Anderson, Han 169. 23-26*

FOR SALE—S. C. Brown leghorn roosters, Mrs. Ed Russel, Farmers 47-19. 23-26

FOR SALE—Or trade, improved 80 acres. R. I. Box 62, Barnard, Mo. S. 23-O. 6*

GILT EDGE LOANS—For sale, notes of $2,000, $1,000, $800, $500 and $500. The above notes are secured by first mortgage on Nodaway County farms based on less than 50 per cent valuation. 7½ per cent interest payable semiannually. C. P. Anderson. 23-26

ALFALFA SEED—$10 and $12 per bushel. This is away below wholesale price. Want to sell that is all. Also plenty of good timothy seed. R. S. Braniger. 23-26

MISCELLANEOUS.

WHAT HAVE YOU? We buy, sell or trade. Dealer in furniture, stoves rugs and implements, etc. Case Furniture Exchange. Hanamo 530, Farmers 510. J15-tf.

RUGS AND CARPETS cleaned by the Hamilton Beach method. Electric Carpet Washing Co. Han. 611. J19tf

LOST—A side Jiffey curtain. Finder return to U. S. Copper Cable Co. 22-24*

FOR RENT—Nice modern room to three young men, with or without board. Students preferred. 703 S. Main Hanamo 3247. 22-24

LOST—Automobile license No. 73-519. Return to this office. 22-24*

FOR RENT—5 room house, modern. See Allen Bros. 23-26

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 510 North Fillmore Street. 22-24

NICE, clean modern rooms for light housekeeping, close to high school. Mrs. Will Armstrong, Hanamo 3625. S19-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping for school girls 202 East 1st St. 21-23*

FOR RENT—2 modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping if desired; Mrs. Ed Masters, 515 N. Fillmore. 21-23*

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms. Call Hanamo 3256. 21-23*

LOST—A large gold pin yesterday. Finder please return it to Mrs. W. F. Chavis at 1029 N. Main or phone Hanamo 190. A reward. 22-24

FOR RENT—Modern rooms. College or high school students preferred. Special rates to five or six. Mrs. George Bedford, Hanamo 4391. 22-27

FOUND—Small purse containing some change. Owner call Mrs. Clarence Workman through Pickering and identify same. 22-24*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Sept. 23. — CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 22,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000.

St. Louis, Sept. 23.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,200.
HOGS—Receipts, 7,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

Kansas City, Sept. 23.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500.

St. Joseph, Sept. 23.—CATTLE—Receipts, 700.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,000; top, $7.80; 25c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs per doz.	28c
Hens per lb.	18c
Springs per lb.	18c
Roosters	6c
Butter fat per lb.	32c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	8c

RINGLING BROTHERS CIRCUS HAS MANY NEW FEATURES

The announcement that the far-famed Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Combined Shows are to exhibit at St. Joseph, Saturday, September 24, has aroused no end of interest. It would seem as though practically all the youngsters and grown-ups in this section were planning to attend.

Twice each day for almost two months New York's great Madison Square Garden was packed with those who thronged to see this biggest program in circus history. They saw scores of the jungle's most ferocious beasts, subjugated to such a degree, that these beautiful animals leaped to and rode on the backs of elephants and horses, jumped through hoops of fire, opened their mouths that their men and women trainers might lay their heads and hands inside them, or leaped from pedestals like trained dogs. And these marvelous dumb actors are all on tour with the great double circus. The four immense steel arenas in which they perform are set up in the mammoth main tent. There is no additional charge—everything is on the one program. And by "everything" is meant not only the wild animal displays, but the entire circus. More than 600 men and women, embracing the world's foremost arenic stars, take part. There are almost 100 clowns. Aside from the ferocious beasts, the program includes thirty trained elephants. Troupes of camels perform in the rings. There are five companies of trained seals, many dogs, bears, monkeys, pigs and pigeons. Fully seventy trained horses and shetlands are presented. It is the biggest circus program the world has ever seen, given under the largest tent and, in connection, is the famous combined Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey menagerie.

Sterling Williams of Kansas City was an over-night guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Seal. Mr. Williams had been attending the annual convention of the Nodaway County Sunday School Association in Skidmore and was enroute to a similar convention in Bethany.

A want adv. in a city paper reads: "For exchange, an $85 diamond ring for a double barrelled shotgun." This looks serious.

Charges Tulsa Race Riots Were Started By Whites, Not Negroes

Following a stirring appeal by Mme. Loxanto of St. Joseph at a meeting held Wednesday night, the negroes of Maryville have started a drive for funds for the relief of the victims of the recent race riots in Tulsa.

Relief for the Tulsa negroes must be sent before winter comes to avoid extreme suffering, according to a report read at the meeting. The report was that of Prof. G. A. Greeg, director of the relief committee of Tulsa, a Y. M. C. A. leader and former professor of mathematics in Western University.

Unthinkable atrocities were charged to the white who participated in the Tulsa riots. The public has been misled as to the negroe's part in the disturbances on May 31 and June 1, according to the speaker, who said:

"They believe that it was started by an attempted assault on a white elevator girl by a negro boy. Such is not the case, although it appeared in the Tulsa dailies. The boy was awkward and stepped on the girl's toe, and she slapped him. He made a discourteous reply. She went out and said she had been insulted by the negro. He was arrested for assault and battery, as he took her hand to prevent another slap. The paper said 'assault,' but failed to mention 'and battery.'

"A white mob gathered about 5 p. m. Officials failed to disperse them. At 9 p. m. armed negroes went to the jail and offered their services to prevent a lynching but their help was refused. At 8 a. m. June 1 the city was placed under martial law. The negroes were disarmed and placed in detention camps.

"The burning began after the negroes were placed under heavy guard and corralled in the stalls of the fair ground. They were put under heavy guard by the Home Guards, who gave harsh orders and used vulgar language. Their homes were looted after they were forced to vacate—their money taken from their pockets; Masonic rings taken from fingers, and watches and chains from their persons.

"Trucks were backed up to their vacated homes and everything movable and of value was taken. Then fire was applied to the buildings. Homes and stores were burned to the ground. Boy Scouts helped, and from an airplane above was dropped liquid fire, to be sure that their fiendish work was complete.

"And before the smoke had blown away, the city authorities convened to plan that this never again be a negro settlement. Mayor and commissioners, real estate exchange, and welfare boards, like those who crucified Christ, began casting lots for the negroes' land. They advertised for industrial plants, ect., to come to Tulsa and build on the ground of 'Little Africa,' swept by fire, without asking the negroes' consent or offering him a cent for his land. Yes, to build on the property of 'little Africa,' swept by fire, not accidental, but of white origin."

Clothing can be left at the A. M. E. parsonage, money at the Farmers Trust Company, with Charles Martin.

CORN CROP IS NOW SAFE FROM DAMAGE BY FROST

Wheat Seeding Begins in Northern Counties—Meadows and Pastures In Fine Shape

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 23—The last week was warm, rather cloudy with frequent showers, but was, as a rule, favorable for farm work, except in the central and western sections where rains were heavy.

Day temperatures ranged between 84 and 90 degrees, except on Sunday when they were about 70 degrees. Showers were general, giving ample moisture in the drier northern, eastern and southern borders, but moisture now is excessive in most of the central and southwest sections, and a few of the extreme northeast counties.

The corn crop is rated from good to excellent. Nearly all is safe from frost damage, but steady drying out weather is needed to put corn in condition to fully withstand effects of freezing temperatures. There is some fear that the persistent warm, humid weather will cause corn in shocks to mold.

Wheat seeding has begun in northern sections, but this work is being delayed in southern sections for fly-free dates; and also there is some delay in the central and southwest sections, and a few other localities because of wet soil. There still is some plowing to be done where the heavier rains have fallen.

Meadows and pastures are in fine shape. The hay harvest has been hampered by showers and soft ground. Livestock has suffered from the fly pest, which seems to be more severe than usual.

Cotton in the extreme southeast is in fair to good condition, and is making fair progress; it is opening rapidly, and picking has begun.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS PICTURES TO BE SHOWN AT ELMO.

The Rev. W. A. Chapman of the Pickering Christian church will preach tonight at the revival services at the Salem Church, 10 miles south of Maryville in the place of the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, who is conducting the meeting. The Rev. Mr. Snodgrass, with a party of boosters from the local church, will go to Elmo tonight to attend the meeting in progress at the Christian church there, of which the Rev. Hugh McClellan is pastor. The pictures of the Men's Bible Class of the local church will be shown at the Elmo church tonight.

Suits Filed Yesterday.

The Home Insurance Company of New York filed suit yesterday against Leslie and John Brand for collection of a note. W. G. Sawyers is the attorney for the plaintiff.

The Loose-Wiles Biscuit Company through Charles E. Stilwell, its attorney, filed suit on account against John J. Defreese.

To G. A. R. Convention

Madison Goodson and T. Y. Neal left this morning to attend the national encampment of the G. A. R. in Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. George Ingerson left this afternoon for Indianapolis where they will also attend the encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lunsford and family left this morning for Forest City, Mo., where they were called by the serious illness of Mr. Lunsford's sister.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF MRS. ISAAC KURD IN ST. JOSEPH.

Mrs. G. B. Holmes and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery will go to St. Joseph tomorrow morning to attend the funeral services for Mrs. Isaac Kurd, who died very suddenly Thursday evening at her home in St. Joseph. She was 29 years old and had been married to Mr. Kurd less than a year. Besides her husband she is survived by her parents, Judge and Mrs. Charles Strop of St. Joseph, three brothers and two sisters. Mrs. Kurd has frequently visited in Maryville at the Holmes and Montgomery homes.

Kaber's Slayer Sentenced

Cleveland, September 23—Salvatore Cala, confessed slayer of Daniel Kaber, wealthy publisher, today was found guilty of first degree murder and sentenced to life imprisonment. Mrs. Kaber hired Cala to do the killing. She is now serving a life term.

Mrs. Pryor Leaves

Mrs. Ike T. Pryor and small son, Ike Thomas, Jr., who have been guests for several weeks at the home of Mrs. Pryor's parents, Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison, left today for their home in Fort Stockton, Tex.

Guests at Sturm Home

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sturm and Alfred Sturm of Eckley, Colo., motored to Maryville yesterday for a several weeks' visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sturm. Mrs. Alfred Sturm has been visiting relatives in Maryville for two weeks.

Miss Dykes Visits Here

Miss Mattie Dykes of King City spent the day in Maryville yesterday with Miss Beatrix Winn. Miss Dykes who is a graduate of the State Teachers College here, will leave tomorrow to continue her work for a Master's degree at Chicago University.

LEAGUE WILL NOT DEFINE TWO CLASSES OF MANDATES.

Geneva, Sept. 23.—Lord Robert Cecil's resolutions for an immediate definition of the terms of Class A and B mandates was killed by the League of Nations assembly today. The League adopted a report of the mandates committee declaring it inopportune to define the terms of the mandate question while negotiations are under way between the Allies and the United States. The report urged the League council to act speedily when its negotiations have been concluded.

Appointed Executor

George W. Jones has been appointed executor of the estate of his wife, who died September 11 of this year.

Meetings at Palestine Church

The revival meeting at the Palestine Christian Church southwest of Maryville, will begin Sunday night and the opening service will be conducted by th gospel team from the Maryville Church. The pastor of the church, the Rev. D. B. Warren, will preach the rest of the week.

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EXPERTS PREDICT CABINET SHAKE-UP.

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accepted the War portfolio with the understanding that he would be given the Treasury berth at the first opportunity.

The cast of Attorney-General Daugherty is not like that of Mellon. The Attorney-General has been the Grand Master of Patronage since March 4 last, and the demands made upon him have been tremendous. Aspirants for every kind of Federal job—from watchman to Ambassador—have had to "see Daugherty," and as all have not been taken care of it has led to some hard feelings in many quarters.

Personal reasons also are said to figure largely in the Attorney-General's reported desire to retire from his post. His own health is none too good, and Mrs. Daugherty is an invalid, necessitating his spending much time traveling back and forth between Washington and Ohio.

No confirmation of the rumors regarding either Mellon or Daugherty is obtainable, but the gossiping persists around the Capitol.

Should Daugherty leave the Cabinet, the belief prevails that President Harding would name as his successor either former Senator George Sutherland of Utah, or James M. Beck of New York, at present Solicitor General in the Department.

WOMAN CASHIER BLAMES MAN FOR HER MISSTEP

Aurora, Ill., Sept. 23—Miss Jessie Enck is under indictment here today for the alleged embezzlement of $12,000 from the Western United Gas Company, of which she was the cashier. H. E. Johnson, chief clerk of the company, was also indicted.

Miss Enck is said to have told officials that she became involved through cashing worthless checks for Johnson, and when the checks were returned he persuaded her to make it good by falsifying her accounts.

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Skidmore Wins at Basketball

Skidmore High School won the first basketball game of the season Wednesday, when they defeated Daleview, 25-17, on the Skidmore team's outdoor court. The line-ups were as follows:

Skidmore Goslee—F., G. Beverlin—F., Peoples—C., H. Beverlin—G., R. Horn—G.

Daleview Walker—F., O. Davis—F., Kruse—C., Clark—G., W. Davis—G., Cowles (sub.—F.

R. J. McClain acted as referee, Supt. Frantz and Supt. Pierce timekeepers and Francis Modsker scorer.

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Prime rib roast, lb	22c
Choice chuck steak, lb	20c
Fancy Plate Boiling Beef, lb	8c
Pork Chops, lb	25c
Pork loin roast, lb	25c
Pork Ham Roast, lb	25c
Pork shoulder roast, lb	18c
Pork shoulder steak, lb	20c
Veal Stew, lb	12½c
Choice veal roast, lb	18c
Veal chops, lb	22c
Veal steak, lb	25c
Leg of Lamb, lb	28c
Lamb chops, lb	28c
Swift's Select Picnic Hams, lb	16c
Swift's lean breakfast bacon, 6 to 8 lbs—per lb	33c
Airship Brand bacon, lb	22c
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BURLINGTON JUNCTION WATER BOND ELECTION POSTPONED

New Law Makes Necessary the Setting of a New Date to Be Fixed Next Tuesday

The special election, called for September 27 for the purpose of voting bonds for the construction of a water system in Burlington Junction, has been postponed by the city council, according to the Burlington Junction Post. This action became necessary because of a new law enacted by the State Legislature last spring, and effective August 9th, in regard to publication requirements in connection with a bond election. The mayor and city council had no knowledge of this law until a few days ago.

The postponement will not delay matters very much. A new ordinance will be passed by the city council at its regular meeting on Tuesday evening of next week, and the new date for the election will be chosen at that time.

W. W. Jones Sells Store

After having engaged in the grocery and meat business in Burlington Junction for more than twenty years, W. W. Jones has sold his establishment and will take things a little easier for a while. Mr. Jones closed the deal for the sale Saturday the purchaser being Ernest Abel and M. G. Hamilton.

During his two decades in the business here Mr. Jones has developed a trade which will be sorry to see him dispose of his interests. He has always been accomodating to the extreme, and he numbers his friends by his acquaintances. There are very few people in this section who are not acquainted with "Bill" Jones.

When asked what he intended doing, Mr. Jones stated that he would not go into anything else right at once, but would for a while assist his brother, Arch, at the Mapel Hotel Jess Jones, who has been employed at the Jones grocery, will also look for other employment, but has not decided for certain what he will do. R. L. Byers will remain with the new firm.—Burlington Junction Post.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WOOL POOL MAKES ANOTHER SALE

The Northwest Missouri wool pool has just made another large sale of wool. John McDonald, manager, announces the sale of 80,000 pounds to the Chicago Wool Company, Chicago, and Wahlert & Guntzler, St. Louis, the former company taking 32,000 lbs., the latter firm 48,000 lbs. The price ranged from 17 to 20 cents per pound. About 250,000 pounds of wool still remains in the St. Joseph warehouse to be disposed of later.

FORTY-HOUR DEVOTIONS AT ST. MARY'S BEGIN SUNDAY

There will be forty-hour devotions at St. Mary's Catholic Church beginning at 10 o'clock Sunday morning and continuing to the service at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, September 27. The Rev. Father Leo of Conception will officiate. The devotions will begin with mass at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, followed by the procession and exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

NAMES MISSOURI CHAIRMAN FOR WILSON FOUNDATION

J. Lionberger Davis, St. Louis, Heads Drive for Fund in Honor of Former President

New York, Sept. 22—Appointment of J. Lionberger Davis of St. Louis to serve as chairman in Missouri for the Woodrow Wilson Foundation was announced today by Franklin D. Roosevelt. Mr. Roosevelt is national chairman of the committee in charge of raising a fund, the income from which is to be used to grant annual awards for distinguished public service.

Through an error at national headquarters, Mr. Roosevelt explained, Jouett Shouse, former assistant secretary of the treasury, had been previously announced as the chairman for Missouri. Mr. Shouse will serve as chairman in the neighboring state of Kansas.

The purpose of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, as explained by Mr. Roosevelt, is to perpetuate the former President's ideals of democracy and human freedom. From the income of the Foundation awards comparable to the Nobel Prizes will be granted from time to time for "meritorious service to democracy, public welfare, liberal thought or peace through justice."

Nearly forty states, it was stated, are now organizing to establish the Foundation. An endowment of one million dollars or more is to be sought through popular subscription. National headquarters have been opened at 150 Nassau Street, New York City.

One of the big drawing cards of the Lawrence county harvest shows will be a boys' and girls' judging school and contest put on by the Lawrence County Farm Bureau. The all-round winner is to be given a silver loving cup.

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WILFLEY AND ROBINSON ATTEND BANKERS' MEETING

Former is Appointed Member of Resolutions Committee—Also Umpires Baseball Game

George L. Wilfley, president of the Farmers' Trust Co., was appointed a member of the resolutions committee at the meeting in St. Joseph yesterday of Group Three, Missouri Bankers' Association. J. B. Robinson, president of the Nodaway Valley Bank also attended the meeting.

Missouri has eight groups of bankers which hold one-day sessions annually. The four groups south of the Missouri River met last week. The meetings this week are north of the river, save one. Tuesday there was a group at Kirksville, yesterday at Chillicothe, and today the meetings will end at Kansas City.

Group three embraces the twelve counties of Andrew, Atchison, Buchanan, Clinton, DeKalb, Gentry, Harrison, Holt, Mercer, Nodaway, Platte and Worth. C. C. Cockrill is chairman and G. W. Cole of Barnard secretary of the group.

The sessions were held at the Elks' Club and Hotel Robidoux. The entertainment program included golf matches at the several country clubs and a ball game betwen teams made up of officers of banks. Mr. Wlifley was umpire.

Resolutions were adopted asking the legislature for a "blue sky" law to prevent sellers of "wildcat" stocks from operating in Missouri. It is proposed that all corporations operating in the state shall have adequate capital and that their proposals shall be passed upon by the state commissioner of finance.

Other members of the resolutions committee besides Mr. Wilfley were W. R. Irwin, Fairfax, and A. J. Hitt Maysville. Will Hartley of Bolckow was a member of the nominating committee.

Among the speakers were J. G. Hughes, Jefferson City, state commissioner of finance, and J. W. Perry president of the Commerce Trust Company, Kansas City. "Bank and Bank Directors" was the subject discussed by J. G. Hughes. He said that with few exceptions the banking laws of Missouri are good ones. The part of the law most grossly violated, said the speaker, is that which requires the supervision or management of the bank by its directors.

The closing address of the morning was made by Mr. Perry, who made a trip to Europe lately on "Observations and Conclusions from a Trip Abroad."

"These meetings are important to the bankers, because they help solve the problems of the different communities," said R. Fullerton place, editor and manager of the Mid-Continent Banker of St. Louis, who is here, and who has attended all the group meetings. "It may be of interest to know that Missouri is fourth in the United States in number of banks Iowa stands first, Illinois second and Texas third, but Missouri is very close to Texas.

"The large number of small banks has been an important factor in developing Missouri agriculturally. Nearly every small town has a bank. There is hardly a village with 200 inhabitants in Missouri in which there is not a bank, and some have two. It is largely through these institutions that the state is being developed.

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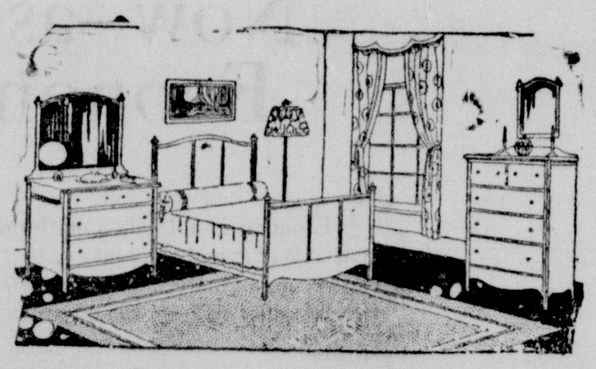

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